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PROSPECTING RESULTS FROM "2 PC PROJECT", CHIBOUGAMAU

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In summer, 2006, two prospectors collected samples on Novawest Resources Inc's 2 PC Project, which is situated 7km southwest of Chibougamau. Five of nine grab samples collected from quartz-veined showings have returned elevated copper-gold-silver values. These results are not representative of any known mineralized zones, however, because of their magnitude they are considered noteworthy for reporting as initial prospecting results.

| Sample | Description | Copper % | Gold ppm | Silver ppm |
|--------|--------------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| 89466 | quartz vein @ 120 az | 3.21% | 0.20 | 20 |
| 89467 | quartz vein @ 120 az | 7.64% | 0.07 | 33 |
| 89468 | quartz vein, andesite | 2.88% | 18.30 | 99 |
| 89472 | smokey quartz, grey dike | 0.05% | 14.30 | 11 |
| 89473 | smokey quartz vein | 0.03% | 6.00 | 3 |

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At present, the 2 PC Project's veins sampled are considered consistent with Chibougamau-style mineralization related to 120 azimuth structures in the mainly granophytic upper layers of the Lac Dore Complex. The former Obalski Mine is 3km east of the HALFTIME PROJECT on another sub-parallel structure in the upper layers of the Lac Dore Complex.

Comparison of sample locations with the recent GSC-sponsored MEGATEM survey results shows an area of elevated conductivity is elongated along a 120 degree azimuth strike for 2.5 kilometres across the HALFTIME PROJECT. Additional prospecting and sampling along this conductivity feature is recommended in the next phase of investigation.

Further, it is noted that the 2 PC Project is located just 14km east of Cogitore's Scott Lake rhyolite-hosted massive sulfide drilling discovery and the Selco deposit.

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